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2014 Maryland FMNP/FVC Training Dates

Please note: If you took this training in 2013, you are certified for 3 years. If you are new to the FMNP/FVC program, or took training prior to 2013, you are required to attend a session to participate in the program this market season. Once you have completed the training it is good for 3 years, as well.

New this Year: It is required that you **RSVP** for the session you will be attending. Please see the link below. All participants will RSVP through that link, except for those attending Garrett & Allegany country sessions, who will RSVP through Cheryl DeBerry, and those attending the training at the Farmers Market Conference who will RSVP through that specific link. Any session having less than 5 people signed up for it will be **cancelled**. Cancellation will be determined 48 hours prior to the session. (The only exception will be Garrett & Allegany Counties.)

The sessions are **free** and take place before or after the lunch hour; **lunch is not provided**. (The only exception will be the training taking place during the Annual Farmers Market Conference on March 13th. See below). **Please pick your date and then RSVP through this link:**

<https://mdamarketing.wufoo.com/forms/2014-fmnpsfmnpfvc-training/>

February

14th: St. Mary's County: Charlotte Hall Library, 37600 New Market Road, Charlotte Hall. 9:30am – 12 Noon.

20th: Caroline County: USDA Denton Office – 9194 Legion Rd, Denton. 9am – 12 Noon.

24th: Frederick County: Frederick Business Employment Center, 5340A Spectrum Drive, Frederick. 1pm – 4pm.

25th: Washington County: Washington County Ag Center, 7313 Sharpsburg Pike, Boonsboro. 9am – 12 Noon.

March

6th: Wicomico County: 31901 Tri County Way, Room #025, Salisbury. 10am – 12 Noon.

10th: Prince Georges County: Soil Conservation Office, 5301 Marlboro Race Track Road, Suite 100, Upper Marlboro. 9am – 12 Noon.

13th: Anne Arundel County: **Training will be incorporated into the Annual Farmers Market Conference at the Maryland Department of Agriculture.** 50 Harry S. Truman Parkway, Annapolis. Conference is from 8am – 4pm. Lunch will be included and there will be a \$30 cost per person. Please follow this link to RSVP.
<https://mdamarketing.wufoo.com/forms/2014-md-farmers-market-conference-registration/>

19th: Montgomery County: Department of Economic Development, Agricultural Services Division, 18410 Muncaster Road, Derwood. 9am- 12 Noon.

April

1st: Allegany – Allegany County Fairgrounds – 7:30pm. **RSVP to: Cheryl DeBerry: [301-334-6968](tel:301-334-6968) or cdeberry@garrettcountry.org**

3rd: Webinar – 2:00pm- 3:30pm. Further information will be sent via email to those who sign up for this option.

7th: Baltimore County: Baltimore County Agricultural Center, 1114 Shawan Road, Cockeysville. 9am – 12 Noon.

8th: Garrett County: University of Maryland Extension – Garrett County Office, 1916 Maryland Hwy, Suite A, Mt Lake Park. 6:30 pm. **RSVP to: Cheryl DeBerry: cdeberry@garrettcountry.org or [301-334-6968](tel:301-334-6968)**

*Indicates training for both Maryland & DC programs

As of Feb 5th, 2014